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Sent: 7/27/2012 4:45:41 PM
To: Hanchett, James (DPH) [/O=COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS/OU=MassMail-01/cn=Recipients/cn=James.Hanchett]
Subject: RE: Case vs. [REDACTED]

I asked him to fax the 1994 certificates. But if they were a reanalysis I guess it doesn't matter. Thanks!

From: Hanchett, James (DPH)
Sent: Friday, July 27, 2012 11:07 AM
To: Pontes, Rebecca (DPH)
Subject: RE: Case vs. [REDACTED]

What is the original sample number?

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From: Pontes, Rebecca (DPH)
Sent: Friday, July 27, 2012 10:48 AM
To: Hanchett, James (DPH)
Subject: FW: Case vs. [REDACTED]

____Hey Jim,

Could you look into an old analysis that was possibly done in 1994 that I may have reanalyzed this year. The lab numbers I was given are [REDACTED]. The email from ADA Gulluni is below explaining the situation. He wants to know if I did actually reanalyze the 1994 sample but if not then he may need you to testify for those 1994 samples. Thanks.

Rebecca

From: Gulluni, Anthony (WES)
Sent: Friday, July 27, 2012 9:32 AM
To: Pontes, Rebecca (DPH)
Subject: RE: Case vs. [REDACTED]

Please do look into that for me. I'd have to call a supervisor, I guess, to testify about the old analysis if you didn't "re-analyze". I actually had a discussion with counsel after I emailed you and, as a result, a trial is not an impossibility. I guess there are immigration consequences for this guy. So, I guess I'm going to have to at least prepare this thing as though a trial is a possibility.

Thanks again for looking into that. Later,

Tony

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From: Pontes, Rebecca (DPH)
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2012 7:30 PM
To: Gulluni, Anthony (WES)
Subject: RE: Case vs. [REDACTED]

I will look into that. I would assume so as I was not working here in 1994. I could be available Wednesday if it does go forward. Just keep me posted and I will be in touch about the reanalysis question. Thanks.

From: Gulluni, Anthony (WES)
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2012 4:36 PM
To: Pontes, Rebecca (DPH)
Subject: RE: Case vs. [REDACTED]

Hey, Rebecca. This case is very unlikely to go - I'm going to try to resolve this pre-trial. If that weren't to happen, though, and a trial does take place, as you might know, the first trial dates in Superior Court aren't really firm dates; I would expect to need you several days (if not weeks) after that 8/6 date.

As you can see, this case is really old. I have a set of certs from 1994 and another set you did in 2012. Those numbers are [REDACTED] I'm assuming the drugs were re-analyzed. Is that right? If not, I guess I'll have to look at alternatives. Thanks,

Tony

From: Pontes, Rebecca (DPH)
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2012 11:17 AM
To: Gulluni, Anthony (WES)
Subject: Case vs. [REDACTED]

ADA Gulluni,

I just received a summons for the above case scheduled for 8/6/12. I will be on vacation 8/6 and 8/7, therefore unable to testify in this case those days. Please let me know if there is another date.

Could you also provide me with the lab numbers pertaining to this case as there were none provided on the summons and I do not find the defendant's name in our database?

Thank you.

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